

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

CIVIL ACTION NO. 04-10106JLT

ZHANNA CHIZHIK,)
Administratrix of the Estate)
of Grigory Chizhik,)
Plaintiff)
)
v.)
)
SEA HUNT BOATS, INC.,)
TROPICLAND MARINE)
AND TACKLE, INC., and)
GREGORY ZILBERMAN,)
Defendants.)
)

DEFENDANT SEAT HUNT BOAT'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

Defendant Sea Hunt Boats, Inc. ("Sea Hunt") respectfully moves the Court to grant summary judgment in its favor on the plaintiffs' Complaint because no genuine issue of material fact remains to be tried and the defendant is entitled to judgment as a matter of law. See Fed. Civ. P. 56. As grounds for this motion, the defendant states that the plaintiff cannot produce evidence of a defect in the subject product in this complex products liability case. The case arises out of the capsizing of a Sea Hunt Navigator 22" pleasure boat outside of the Boston Harbor islands on May 25, 2003. The plaintiff alleges that an undisclosed alleged defect in the boat caused her decedent's accident and harm.

Throughout the course of litigation, however, the plaintiff has resisted Sea Hunt's efforts to determine the nature of the alleged product defect, with the evident intent that expert witness disclosure would adequately specify the plaintiff's theory of defect. The plaintiff made no disclosure of expert witnesses within the time set by the Court's scheduling order, nor did she

so within the time allowed by the Court in an extended scheduling order. The plaintiff sought leave to file her purported expert witness disclosure late, which motion the Court denied.

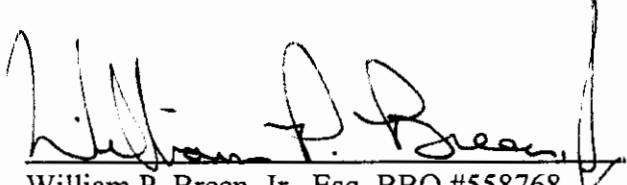
The Court should enter summary judgment in favor of Sea Hunt. The plaintiff can provide no evidence of product defect, nor of causation, and therefore cannot prevail.

Exhibits to this motion, a Concise Statement of the Materials Facts of Record, and a supporting memorandum of law are filed with this motion.

WHEREFORE, defendant Sea Hunt Boats, Inc. respectfully moves the Court to allow i motion for summary judgment and to enter Judgment in its favor and against the plaintiff.

THE DEFENDANT REQUESTS ORAL ARGUMENT OF THIS MOTION.

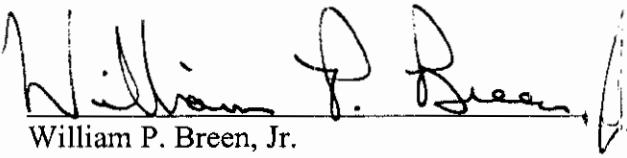
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The undersigned attorney certifies that prior to filing the above motion, he conferred in g faith with opposing counsel to narrow the issues raised by this motion.



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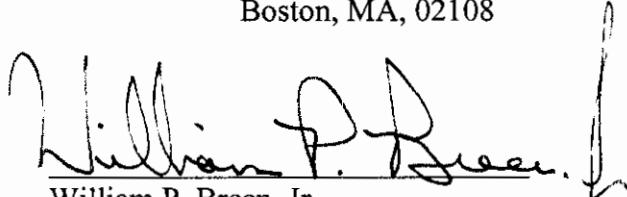
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